

# ***The Community Civic Association, Inc.***

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*“ Living the Legacy ”*

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Mike Good, City Manager  
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July 23, 2008

Dear Mr. Good,

The Community Civic Association appreciates the annual contribution received from the City of Hallandale Beach. This donation is also a significant reminder of the ongoing partnership towards the continuing progressive City of Hallandale Beach.

In the past, the funds have always been used on the Martin Luther King (MLK) festivities during the month of January, and this year, our intentions are quite the same.

As you are aware, the aforementioned celebration is comprised of three days during which there is a luncheon, church activities and a parade which includes performances by local artists.

Moreover, there is also the positive socio-economic outcome that is obtained from the sale of goods and services at the street fair immediately following the parade. Additionally I should also reinforce the fact that the revenues obtained by the Civic Association are specifically to increase the level of scholarships being provided to the high school students in the City of Hallandale Beach.

However, within the 2008-09 budgets, we would like to include an additional \$10,000 of funding. The additional financial support would be used to create career coaching, resume writing, mock interview workshops and other specifically related activities that tend to strengthen and make an individual better prepared to succeed in the business environment.

Needless to say, our goal is to ultimately create self sufficiency and economic independence within the community.

I am hoping that in the meeting that I have scheduled on 7-30-08, I will be able to establish a more concise and comprehensive dialogue which will further reinforce this particular economic approach and the benefits that can be readily obtained from same. Needless to say, our objective is to continue to strengthen and build upon the links that already exist between the Civic Association and the City of Hallandale Beach.

As usual we thank you for the continued cooperation and support.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Carlos E. Simmons', with a large, stylized flourish at the end.

*Carlos E. Simmons*

*President*

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